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MECHANISM

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Sir:

Further to the Completion of Record filed on May 11, 2005, to complete the record, Applicant notes the following two documents which were cited in Office Actions that were mailed on June 3, 2005 with respect to U.S. Patent Application Nos. 10/815,193 and 10/815,194:

(16) U.S. Patent No. 4,768,048 to WAKABAYASHI, which issued on August 30, 1988;
and

(17) U.S. Patent No. 5,264,939 CHANG, which issued on November 23, 1993

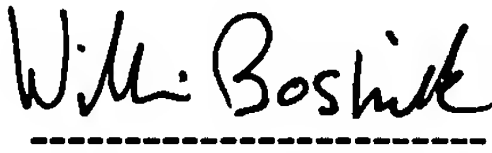
Further to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(i), copies of the U.S. patents are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

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A PTO-1449 Form listing these documents is enclosed herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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